

CENTRAL SHENANDOAH HEALTH DISTRICT

Weekly COVID-19 Update

May 24, 2021



Week of May 24th CSHD COVID-19 Vaccine Clinics

We have available appointments at the following clinics this week:

- **Tuesday, May 25th** from 9:30am-12:30pm College Square - Old Peebles/Gordmans (Moderna and Pfizer, Ages 12+)
- **Wednesday, May 26th** from 9:30am-12:30pm at the Rockingham County Fairgrounds (Moderna, Ages 18+)
- **Wednesday, May 26th** from 2:00pm-4:00pm at the Rockingham County Fairgrounds (Johnson & Johnson, Ages 18+)
- **Friday, May 28th** from 9:30am-12:30pm Harrisonburg Community Activities Center (Pfizer, Ages 12+)

[Click here to schedule an appointment!](#)

To make an appointment, visit vaccineappointments.virginia.gov. Walk-ins are welcome as supply allows.

If you are looking for a clinic in another area, please visit vaccines.gov and use your zip code to find appointments at local pharmacies and healthcare providers. Visit vaccinate.augustahealth.com to make an appointment at Augusta Health. These appointments are available to those ages 12+ who live, work, or go to school in the Central Shenandoah Health District.

If you are having problem making an online appointment, please call your local health department. Please help us reserve the phone lines for those with limited internet access and/or low computer literacy.

WHAT'S NEW THIS WEEK

Memorial Day Prevention Reminders

Let's celebrate Memorial Day safely! If you are not fully vaccinated*, you should continue to take preventative measures:

- Wear a mask over your nose and mouth indoors
- Stay at least 6ft away from others
- Avoid crowded areas
- Get your free COVID-19 vaccine!

*You are considered to be fully vaccinated 2 weeks after your second dose in a 2 dose series (Moderna and Pfizer) and 2 weeks after received a single dose vaccine (Johnson & Johnson).

Executive Order 79 and Mask Reminders

Following the CDC guidance, Governor Northam announced that masks will no longer be required by [Executive Order 72](#) for fully vaccinated individuals in most indoor settings. Here are some reminders:

If you're fully vaccinated:

- Not required to wear a mask in most public settings

If you're not fully vaccinated:

- Should continue to wear masks and practice physical distancing in most indoor and outdoor settings in



Masks are still required, regardless of vaccination status, in the following settings:

- Public transit
- Health care facilities (including hospitals, doctor's offices, long-term care facilities, assisted living facilities, and local health departments)
- Schools
- Homeless shelters
- Correctional facilities

Additional updates will go into effect on Friday, May 28 with the Governor's [Executive Order 79](#).

COVID-19 Vaccine Mobile Clinics

CSHD will be offering mobile COVID-19 vaccine clinics in the community in an effort to increase access to COVID-19 vaccines. To succeed in these efforts, we need your help! **If your organization is interested in a COVID-19 vaccine clinic for your community, then we are asking that you complete this request [form](#).** You can also go to <https://redcap.link/32fiylbj>. Our mobile clinics can be walk-up with no registration needed and can be flexible in date and time of clinics. Our clinics can serve anywhere from 20-200 people. This service is free and available to all community members.

For some inspiration, a mobile clinic could be held at:

- a local festival, event, block party, farmers market, etc.
- a church, community center, business
- a food pantry, homeless shelters
- a park or public space

If interested, please complete the form and I will reach back out to you within 3-4 business days. **Please share with other community members that may be interested in this service.** A link to this request form will be available on our website at <https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/central-shenandoah/covid-19-vaccine-information/>.

[Click here to request a COVID-19 vaccine clinic for your community!](#)

District COVID-19 Activity

Cases have been decreasing in our region (Northwest) for the last 38 days and cases are considered to be decreasing. It is important to take preventative measures like avoiding crowded areas, wearing a mask, and washing your hands. You can explore individual locality metrics [here](#). To learn more about the VDH Pandemic Metrics, click [here](#).

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COVID-19 EDUCATION EVENTS

Host a COVID-19 Vaccine Information Session

Want to learn more about the difference vaccines? How to pre-register? Host a COVID-19 vaccine information session! If your organization would like more information about the COVID-19 vaccine you can schedule an information session with our health education team. Sign up for a session [here](#).

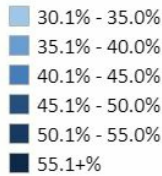
COVID-19 VACCINE DATA

In the Central Shenandoah Health District, **46%** of the population has received at least one dose of a COVID-19 vaccine and **39%** of the population is fully vaccinated.

You are considered to be fully vaccinated 2 weeks after their second dose in a 2-dose series or 2 weeks after a single-dose vaccine.

People Vaccinated by Locality of Residence and Vaccination Status - Percent of the Population

Percent of the Population
with At Least One Dose



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Percent of the Population

Select Vaccination Status

At Least One Dose

People Not Mapped: 977,042

This is a map of fully vaccinated people as a percentage of the population. This dose not include those vaccinated through the Bureau of Prisons, Department of Defense, Indian Health Service, and the Veterans Administration.

For locality COVID-19 vaccine distribution numbers, please visit the [VDH COVID-19 Vaccine Dashboard](#).

COVID-19 DATA BREAKDOWN

As reported to VDH, by date of lab report. May differ from other sources, due to reporting lags. Negative numbers indicate data corrections, since March 2020. More data can be found [here](#).

	7-Day Average Number of Daily New Cases Reported	Total Cases	Total Hospitalizations	Total Deaths
Augusta	6	5,870	175	73
Staunton City	0	2,524	84	71
Waynesboro City	1	2,383	73	38
Rockbridge	0	1,554	53	46
Lexington City	0	1,207	26	32
Buena Vista City	0	912	23	21
Rockingham	3	6,787	388	107
Harrisonburg City	2	6,496	188	94
Bath	0	273	10	10
Highland	0	109	1	1
Totals	13	28,115	1,021	493
*As of 10:00am on 5/24				

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